

## BARRY COUNTY CIRCUIT COURT OPENS NOVEMBER 13

The fall term of the Barry county circuit court will open on Monday, November 13, with Judge C. L. Henson presiding. S. M. Trollinger is clerk, Miss Nova Trollinger, deputy clerk; Ed Roberts, sheriff; Emory E. Smith, prosecuting attorney and Frank T. McClure, stenographer.

Following is the docket:

Monday, November 13.

W. C. Cooper vs Levi Bloomer, replevin.  
Clara Opal King vs Standard Accident Insurance Co., on policy.  
Tony Hilton vs Maud Carney, et al, partition and accounting.  
City of Monett vs John Bass, appeal from police judge.  
City of Monett vs Wm. Meagher, appeal from police judge. (Two cases)  
Ed Salzer vs Henry A. Long, et al, mandate.  
Luther M. Burkhardt vs Industrial Transportation Co., attachment.  
Claud Beymer vs Adolphus Drake, damages.  
D. E. Wells vs Fidelity Phenix Insurance Co., policy.  
Veta M. Gravitt vs Dr. S. W. Chandler, damages.  
Coleman Lumber Co., vs K. P. Richardson, et al, mechanics lien.  
George Russell vs R. W. Smith, A. L. Hadley, promissory note.  
Edna Salyer vs Arthur Salyer, divorce.  
M. C. Smith, vs George Thomas, partition.  
The Calloway Bank vs F. A. Ellis, et al, equity.

Tuesday, November 14.

Anna Mills vs Thomas C. Mills, divorce.  
Earl Burchett vs Ida Burchett, divorce.  
Beads Brelsford vs Richard A. Brelsford, divorce.  
Bessie Hanlon vs Joseph Hanlon, divorce.  
Alma Swearingen vs Herman Swearingen, divorce.  
State ex rel P. E. Horine vs St. L. & S. F. R. R. Co., back taxes.  
Ole and Noel Skelton vs Daught Brewer, et al, partition.  
Hill Investment Co., vs Peter Gerlack Company, equity.  
L. B. Curtis vs James S. Berry, replevin.  
Arthur T. Packwood vs Unknown heirs of Wm. C. Barr, et al, to quiet title.  
State ex rel W. Skelton vs R. M. Fountain, et al, equity.  
D. S. Mayhew, et al vs W. E. Cox et al, equity.  
O. L. Lewis vs Louanna Lewis, divorce.  
R. C. Overton, et al vs Oscar Overton, partition.  
Fred Weis vs Nellie Weis, divorce.  
Lee McCandless vs Caldonis McCandless, divorce.  
J. M. Finn vs Ora L. Finn, divorce.  
S. H. Beeson vs Eva G. Beeson, divorce.  
Mabel Banford vs Maurice Banford, divorce.  
Dora Courtis vs Louis Courtis, divorce.  
Christine Turpin vs Murrell Turpin, divorce.  
George Thomas vs Janie Thomas, divorce.  
Flossie H. Taylor vs Albert J. Taylor, divorce.  
Charley Steincipher vs Manie Steincipher, divorce.  
Lillie Lassiter vs James F. Lassiter, divorce.  
Lenora Ash vs Elmer Ash, partition.  
Charles Cowardin vs Noah Sparks, to quiet title.  
A. L. Wines vs The Travelers Insurance Co., insurance policy.  
Lizzie Price vs Unknown Heirs of John G. Harbin, deceased, equity.  
Henry Beeson vs Unknown heirs of Wm. Beshears, deceased, to quiet title.  
R. D. Tarvin vs George W. Tarvin, et al, to quiet title.  
W. F. Evans vs W. T. and Nannie Ayers, equity.  
W. T. Hale vs Narcissa Evans, equity.  
Hannah J. Oviatt vs L. C. Hayman, to quiet title.  
In the matter of neutralization of Joseph Otto Herjing.  
In the matter of the naturalization of John Opalka.  
Arthur Erwin vs John Cnappell, et al, injunction.  
E. P. Henderson vs Holland Banking Co., equity.  
(Tuesday Nov. 16 after F. P. Mound vs O. S. Jeffries) "6 6" "6 6"  
Bernard Mfg. Co., vs F. N. Reese, note.  
In the matter of the estate of A. A. Overton, deceased, R. C. Overton, Administrator, appeal from probate judge.  
Niles & Mosier vs F. N. Reese, appeal from J. P.  
St. L. & S. F. R. R. Co. vs David R. Thomas, ejectment.  
First National Bank of Monett vs Roman Bertalot, et al, note.  
Monett State Bank vs C. J. Rathens, appeal from J. P.

Wednesday, November 15.

State of Missouri vs Raymond Kirby, grand larceny.  
State of Missouri vs Etha and An-

drew Brown, burglary and larceny.  
State of Missouri vs Ed Schwerferger, et al, grand larceny.  
State of Missouri vs Paul J. Gottas, drawing check on bank in which he had no funds.  
State of Missouri vs John R. Greene, obtaining money under false pretense.  
State of Missouri vs B. F. Johnson, violating prohibition law.  
State of Missouri vs Leon Hulsey, larceny.  
State of Missouri vs C. S. Woods, violating prohibition law.  
State of Missouri vs Estil Kring, robbery in first degree.  
State of Missouri vs Hobart Amos, violating prohibition law.  
State of Missouri vs George Murray, felonious assault.  
State of Missouri vs John Greene, John Fritz, obtaining money under false pretense.  
State of Missouri vs Even Elliott and Roxie Robbins, violating prohibition law.  
State of Missouri vs Elza Sullivan, conduct unbecoming an officer.  
State of Missouri vs Dan Anderson, violating prohibition law.  
State of Missouri vs W. S. Bolinger, murder in the second degree.  
State of Missouri vs E. and John Eubanks, running a motor after night without lights.  
State of Missouri vs Claud Beymer et al, petit larceny.  
State of Missouri vs B. F. Johnson, violating prohibition law.  
State of Missouri vs Del James, assault.  
State of Missouri vs William Mitts, felonious assault.  
State of Missouri vs Edward Flaherty, carrying concealed weapons.  
State of Missouri vs Opal House, running a motor after night without lights.

Thursday, November 16.

City of Monett vs M. E. Gillioz, on bond.  
Martha B. Mayhew vs Homer Black, damages.  
Fred T. Vickers vs J. F. Little, attachment.  
Boyer-Rhodes Machinery Co., vs R. P. McReynolds, et al, account.  
Mary McCormick vs Barry County Farmers Mutual Farm and Life Insurance Co., damages.  
Sweeney Lynes & Co., vs W. F. Bauer, damages.  
Chas. Hutchens vs J. H. Wagner, commission.  
Emory E. Smith, vs Will Mills, appeal from J. P.  
Sheridan McCormick vs Barry County Farmers Mutual Farm and Life Insurance Co., damages.  
M. J. Troxel vs H. M. Murray, damages.  
M. D. Purviance vs H. M. Murray, damages.  
Chas. Horner vs H. M. Murray, damages.  
B. J. Cannady vs H. M. Murray, damages.  
O. F. Henry vs H. M. Murray, damages.  
Barry County Bank vs Wm. Houston, et al, note.  
Chas. McCurry vs L. D. Freeman, et al, contract.  
G. F. Johnson vs J. F. Wilson, note.  
G. F. Roderick vs William Bass, ejectment.  
J. C. Brummell vs Morgan Pannell, action for alienating affections.  
J. W. Thomas vs S. C. and Dora Kisler, appeal from J. P.  
Emory E. Smith vs B. F. Johnson, slander.  
Tanner-Golman Schools vs Charles Witt, note.  
Commerce Trust Co., vs E. and B. Katzfy, note.  
F. P. Mount, receiver, vs O. S. Jeffries, note.  
W. C. Fyatt, admr., vs St. L. & S. F. R. R. Co., damages.  
City of Monett vs Kate Ragsdale, appeal from police judge.  
City of Monett vs Lillian Tummons, appeal from police judge.  
E. E. McGuire vs F. P. Sizer, slander.  
A. Eisenstein & Co., vs W. C. Potter, et al, appeal from J. P.  
R. T. Poplin vs Harry Miller, appeal from J. P.

Friday, November 17.

Myrtle Potter vs W. M. Hailey, damages.  
E. M. Davis, et al, vs B. H. and E. H. Vinson, note.  
Bank of Washburn vs George Griffin and R. A. Gorg, note.  
McGregor Motor Co., vs Otto Thomas, et al, account.  
Fidelity Phenix Insurance Co., vs W. T. Bailey, appeal from J. P.  
O. H. Wilson vs Butterfield Fruit Growers' Association, damages.  
Nettie Dunlap vs Modern Woodmen of America, policy.  
Icy Beymer vs W. A. Smith, et al, damages.  
W. T. Hale vs Grant McKee, et al, note.  
Rice Hutchens, St. Louis, Shoe Co., vs Mace Jacques et al, account.  
D. H. Kemp vs Iowa Canning Co., attachment.  
City of Monett vs Maurice Haynes, et al, appeal from police judge.  
Monett State Bank vs Len Mitchell, et al, note.  
Arthur Erwin vs John Chappell, et al, damages.

B. F. Plummer vs St. L. & S. F. R. R. Co., damages.  
Albert Bristow vs St. L. & S. F. R. Co., damages.  
Charles McFadden vs St. L. & S. F. R. Co., damages.  
Nellie Plummer vs St. L. & S. F. R. Co., damages.  
John Martin vs Tom Smith, note.  
O. H. Wilson vs Purdy Horticultural Association, damages.  
Elbert H. Davis, vs Mo. & North Ark. R. R., damages.  
Harry A. Matthews vs Josiah Thomas, et al, note.  
W. C. Chenoweth vs C. C. Sanders, note.  
First National Bank of Fairview vs George Storek, et al, on note.  
City of Monett vs M. E. Gillioz, appeal from police judge.  
Bessie DeMoss vs Great American Insurance Co., et al, policy.  
W. R. Johnson vs H. M. Murray, damages.  
John L. Copp, administrator vs St. L. & S. F. R. R. Co., damages.  
United States Tire Co., vs Otto Thomas, account.  
The Kansas Flour Mills vs J. W. Armstrong, damages.  
Mrs. Addie Garrett vs E. L. Blankenship, damages.

## LAWRENCE COUNTY GRAPE CAMPAIGN PROGRESSING

"The Lawrence County Grape Campaign which was launched last week is rapidly growing. A county committee has been appointed to arrange for meetings and push the work from a county-wide standpoint. The committee at present is composed of Louis Coleman and M. B. Gardner of Aurora; R. F. George and L. E. Beatty of Pelee City; and John Sehner, George Hummel and L. L. Hunt, County Agent, of Mt. Vernon. In the vicinity of Mt. Vernon men have been appointed in each school district to solicit acreages of grapes and arrange for meetings. This plan will be followed in other sections of the county as soon as arrangements can be made. School district meetings will start in about a month and those interested should see one of the committee within the next two weeks."

## KINGS PRAIRIE SCHOOL NOTES

"The pie supper held at Kings Prairie on Friday evening was well attended and all seemed to have a good time, that isn't all, those who attended had their 'four bits' with them and then some. We wish to say here that we thank the visitors as far as thanks goes for showing their liberality at that time. We hope you will be present at each game we play this season. Each person that took part in the supper will be given free access to our games this season. A quantity of library books have been ordered and preparations are being made to put in regulation basketball goals. This will enable the smaller children to play on the small ones. We hope to equalize the distribution of the proceeds of the supper in such a way as to benefit each pupil. Frank Wightman acted as auctioneer and displayed unusual ability, in the profession. We recommend Mr. Wightman as an auctioneer. Miss Bernice Carter acted as clerk, and kept a very accurate account of the proceedings. Lorraine Ennis followed as assistant. Our aim is to develop ourselves in mental capacity and also to develop keen, alert, active and useful minds at the same time develop a strong constitution to take care of the mental apparatus."

## BIRTHDAY PARTY FOR MISS SCHNEIDER

A birthday supper was given to Miss Frieda Schneider of Stones Prairie Wednesday, October 25 in honor of her twentieth birthday. Those that were present were Mr. and Mrs. Casper Schad and children, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Courdin and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schad and son Arthur, Emma Schad and Paula Schneider. Miss Paula Schneider took the birthday cake, which was angel food decorated with ferns, flowers and twenty candles. The evening was spent in eating cake and marshmallow candy. They departed at a late hour wishing her many more such happy birthdays.

One Present.

## HALLOWEEN PARTY

A Halloween party was given by the Misses Burg at Purdy, last Saturday evening. Halloween symbols were effectively used in decorations. Orange and black were the colors carried out in the decorations and appointments. Music and games were features of the evening's entertainment. Thirty guests enjoyed the affair.

## SENTENCED TO JAIL

Reason Vermillion was sentenced to serve six months in the Greene county jail Monday afternoon by D. E. Holman, justice of the peace, on a charge of issuing bogus checks.—Springfield Leader.

## JAMES DOYLE FAVORS CONCORD GRAPES

"James Doyle, a farmer living on the Monett-Pelee City road, is a successful grape grower and writes an article for The Times in which he states his preference for the Concord grape above the Moore's Early. Following is his letter:—

"To the Monett Times— I notice in a recent issue an article on grape growing, and among other things it said, an effort should be made to get an increased acreage of Moore's Early around Monett in order to be able to make more satisfactory car shipments. There is a far better and more profitable way—cut your unprofitable Moore's Early vines two inches below the surface of the ground and graft to some other better variety Concord for instance. You cannot make a mistake in getting improvement over Moore's Early, that's easy. "When it takes twenty acres of Moore's Early to fill a car as it has done at Neosho the past season, and with such a wonderful crop as they claim they have had according to newspaper reports, it should not be a difficult undertaking. The grower who cannot fill a car from five acres in a good season should take down his shingle and go into some other business."

"In the boosting of the grape acreage the Concord is the only variety spoken of. This is as it should be, as the Concord is one of the best grapes, but there are also other varieties that do well here that could be made as profitable as the Concord if raised in sufficient quantities for car shipments."

"I have the earliest grape coming into the market, sold first in Monett July 18th, eight to ten days earlier than Moore's Early. I have also the latest, ten days later than the Concord. We have picked grapes the past season as late as September 22, have a continuous succession of ripe grapes from early to late."

"I believe that every farmer should set out one or more acres, and then increase the acreage as he becomes acquainted with its needs and requirements."

James Doyle"

## PLYMOUTH PARENT-TEACHER ASSOCIATION

The Plymouth Parent-Teacher Association met last Friday afternoon at 2:30 with a fairly good attendance. The program was very interesting and instructive dealing with manners in the home and proper food for children. The president also gave an explanation of the County Unit Bill, showing why everyone should vote for it.

Plans were made for a membership drive which will be in the form of a contest, lasting until the December meeting. Now is the time to join our circle and benefit both yourself and your child.

Reporter.

## TWO FIRES ON SUNDAY

The large barn belonging to Manuel Wimsatt in the west part of the city was destroyed by fire about 1:30 o'clock Sunday morning. The fire department was called out but could be of no assistance because of the water mains not extending out as far as Mr. Wimsatt's place.

Another fire which occurred about 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon was two picks of corn in a field belonging to Harry Etter, No. 103 Pearl Street which was just half of his home.

## STONES PRAIRIE

The Rev. P. L. G. Strasen was installed pastor of the German Lutheran church on Stones Prairie, Sunday morning, October 29. Rev. C. Bernthal of Freistatt, officiated at the installation and after the sermon, basket dinner and supper was served by the ladies of the church. There were quite a few that attended from Freistatt and other places.

Those that spent Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. Hartweg-Geske and daughter Ellenora were Mr. and Mrs. George Enke, Sr., and son Bill, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Schad and daughter Viola, Mrs. Will Storck and son John, Misses Minnie, Selma and Elsie Geske, Gust and Freida Enke, and Francis and Christina Storck, Messrs. Charley Schmeling, Edgar Veltin, Carl Enke and Arthur Schad. The time was spent in playing music until a late hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl F. Geske, Jr., were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Geske, Sr., Sunday night.

Miss Selma Geske, of Monett, visited home folks from Saturday until Monday.

Will Buening, Sr., of Oklahoma, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rehwinkel and children of Purdy.

Mrs. Susan Hathaway, No. 305 Fifth street, will move November 9th to Mr. McDonald's property at No. 401 Fifth street which is occupied at present by Mrs. W. J. Mein. Miss Sarah Clark who owns the property being vacated by Mrs. Hathaway has rented it to Mr. and Mrs. James Doyle of west of Monett on the Monett-Pelee City road.

## NEW FIRE TRUCK FOR MONETT

J. L. Hobbs and H. I. Bradford, city commissioners for Monett went to St. Louis Friday night for the purpose of purchasing a new fire truck for the city.

They selected a Reo truck equipped with a Northern pump carrying two lines of hose with a discharge of 350 gallons of water per minute from each line at a 120 pound pressure. It is also equipped with a 40 gallon capacity chemical tank, two 2½ gallon hand chemical extinguishers, ladders and other small equipment.

The truck motor is equipped with a water cooling system which guarantees an unlimited time which the motor car can be run at full capacity without endangering the motor.

The truck was bought of the General Manufacturing Company, and is to be delivered in Monett within 60 or 90 days.

While in St. Louis Mr. Hobbs was the guest of his brother Dr. F. E. Hobbs and while on a motoring trip Sunday they visited Scott aerial fields five miles from Belleville, Illinois, where they saw an aerial balloon and other interesting sights. He returned home Monday morning. Mr. Bradford returned home by way of Kansas City where he visited his daughter, Mrs. James Goodwin and Mr. Goodwin, arriving home Tuesday morning.

## DANCE MONDAY EVENING

The American Legion will give a benefit dance at the Knights of Columbus hall Monday evening, November 6. A ten piece jazz orchestra will furnish music.

## COW-TESTING ASSOCIATION AGAIN LEADS STATE

The Lawrence-Barry Cowtesting Association again led the State with the high cow and the high herd. The highest cow was owned by Flaatt and Woodruff and produced 1258 pounds milk and 60.38 pounds fat. This cow was closely followed by owned by E. W. Wallen of Monett and one belonging to the State Sanatorium.

The five highest herds were as follows: E. W. Wallen, Monett, State Sanatorium, Mt. Vernon; W. B. Young, Aurora; Louis Coleman, Aurora; and L. W. H. House, Verona. The high herds will vary depending on the number of cows, freshing, number of heifers in milk, and number of cows in the herds. In this month the total association had 12 cows producing over 50 pounds fat and 20 cows producing over 1000 pounds milk. The average profit per cow above feed expenses for the month was \$10.83.

## WEBB CITY AUCTION BREAKS ALL RECORDS

Sales day at Webb City Saturday broke all records for the more than forty auctions that have been held there. More than 525 head of livestock was sold and the morning sale included more articles than ever before had been listed, although it is not known that the total value was greater than at some previous auctions when prices generally were higher.

Consignments sold included 250 hogs, more than 200 head of cattle and seventy-five horses, superintendent of the departments reported.

The crowd attending the sale was the largest ever gathered in Webb City, it is believed, and numbered well into the thousands. Many from a distance attended the event, attracted by a market for their commodities or to take advantage of possible bargains. Many came just to see their neighbors and to enjoy a day of semi-festival nature.

## BONUS TO BE RAISED FOR SHOE COMPANY

Carthage, Mo., Oct. 30.—A proposal for raising \$7,000, the amount necessary for bringing to Carthage the Tweedie Footwear Corporation of Jefferson City, which is considering purchase of the former William Kaut Footwear plant in this city for its factory, was accepted unanimously at today's noon meeting and luncheon of the Chamber of Commerce, President R. C. Grissom was authorized to name a committee of five to raise the necessary funds.

Action by the organization followed a report made by a special committee recently named to investigate the shoe company's proposition, the committee's report being favorable to the proposal.

## HALLOWEEN PARTY

The Euzeian class of the First Baptist church of which Mrs. L. E. Lines is teacher, enjoyed a Halloween party in the church basement Tuesday evening. The rooms were decorated with Halloween emblems and colors of black and gold. Various amusing games were played until a late hour when a one plate lunch was served to about thirty class members. Mrs. Lines was assisted in serving by Mrs. Arthur Anderson and Mrs. C. F. Whitlock.

Attorney D. S. Mayhew was in Cassville on legal business matters Wednesday.

## PATROL SYSTEM FOR FRISCO LINE

Action Planned as Result of Recent Dynamiting in and Near Springfield.

A patrol system along Frisco tracks in this immediate region is a strong likelihood when the present force of deputy United States marshals here is swelled by additions expected today, to greater proportions than at any time since the strike began, it intimated last night. This expected action is an outcome of repeated dynamiting cases here and near the city.

Although no word as to reinforcements had been received last night by the approximately 40 deputies now here, it was said on other good authority that the reinforcements would arrive probably today, from Kansas City. Twenty-one deputies arrived here last week because of the dynamitings.

The most recent dynamiting case was at 10:30 Saturday night when dynamite exploded by a fuse broke two lengths of rail on the north side of the curve just this side of Mulvey switch, four miles east of Springfield. The explosion set the block signals and nearby trains received their warning. Once before an attempt had been made to blow up the track at this switch. Following that attempt the track was broken near Hasetting station, west of the city. Two attempted dynamitings and one successful dynamiting of Frisco workers' homes here occurred within the last month.

Frisco rewards for such cases total \$4,000 and it is probable this will be swelled to another \$1,000 for the Saturday night job. The city and the Chamber of Commerce each have posted \$500 in reward for local cases.

## HOME BUILDERS CLASS GIVES HALLOWEEN PARTY

The Home Builders Class of the Methodist church gave a Halloween party at the home of Mrs. W. H. Florety Monday evening. The members invited their husbands and few friends. More than one hundred people enjoyed the evening.

The house was decorated in Autumn leaves and Halloween emblems. Most of the participants in the party went disguised and masked. On unmasking much merriment was occasioned when it was found that their guesses of the identity of some of the party were wide of the mark.

A very enjoyable program was given which consisted of the following numbers:

Vocal solo, Mrs. W. T. Kines.  
Piano trio, Mrs. J. P. Woods, Mrs. F. E. Shaffer and Mrs. H. M. McIntosh.  
Reading, Mrs. H. V. Todisman.  
Vocal duet, Rev. and Mrs. J. C. Gilbreath.

Various lively games were enjoyed. A witch's kettle, over which Miss Julia Campbell presided, contained the fortunes of the merry makers. Refreshments of pumpkin pie, whipped cream and coffee were served.

## MOUNT PLEASANT

Mrs. Gladden Daugherty visited a few days last week with Arthur Strother and family.

Mrs. John Higgs is on the sick list. Those who visited Sunday at the home of Jim McCracken were Jimmie Higgs and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Long and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Higgs and son Darrell, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Russell and children and Mrs. Adeline McCracken of Monett.

Miss Juanita Higgs spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Jewell Higgs. Mrs. Troy Higgs visited Sunday at Virgil Rheas.

Ira McCracken and family of Monett and Miss Opal Garrison visited Saturday evening with Jim McCracken and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Higgs and son Darrell were in Butterfield Saturday. Misses Mildred and Zelma Strother and Messrs. Ray Higgs and Lester Vineyard attended the song convention at Gunter Saturday night.

Miss Neva Higgs spent Sunday with Miss Pearl Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCracken and daughter Louise were in Monett Monday.

Miss Pearl Long spent Monday with Mrs. Charley Long of Purdy.

Pleasant Valley and Clark schools met together at the Pleasant Valley school house Wednesday afternoon of last week and had a spelling match and played basket ball against the Butterfield school at the end of one hour spelling the tallies were 14 and 17 in favor of Butterfield, but the P. V. and Clark boys put it over on them in the ball game the scores being 17 and 5 in favor of our boys.

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